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## YERKES

Republicans of the County and Mass Convention Speak Strongly for Next Governor

### THE NOMINEES INDORSED

The Resolutions Which Were Passed Denounced the Robbery of the State Ballot, Etc.

### REPORT OF THE CONVENTION HELD

The Republicans of McCracken county met this afternoon in mass convention at the city hall to name delegates to the state convention at Louisville, July 17th, to nominate a candidate for governor.

After a few remarks by County Chairman F. M. Fisher, who called the meeting to order, Captain J. E. Williamson was unanimously chosen chairman, and J. W. Moore was elected secretary.

A committee on resolutions was appointed as follows: Messrs. F. M. Fisher, M. W. La Rue, E. E. Bell, C. W. Merriweather and J. H. Ashcraft. They reported the following resolutions, after enthusiastic remarks had been made by Dr. Frank Boyd and Mr. Will Farley.

Resolved by the Republicans and lovers of civil liberty of McCracken county in convention assembled: First, That we heartily approve and ratify the wise selection made by the national convention at Philadelphia naming that matchless statesman, soldier and citizen, Hon. William McKinley, president, and that gallant cavalier and patriot, Governor Roosevelt, for vice president; more capable and worthy leaders could not be found, nor could better selections have been made.

We heartily approve the platform adopted by said convention and pledge it our support and honest endeavor. 2. We recognize the present as the crucial period in the battle for civil and personal liberty in Kentucky. Being fully cognizant of the paramount importance of every citizen asserting his right to vote and to have that vote counted as cast, and to that end we condemn the usurpation of the office of Lieutenant Governor Marshall, the first overt act in the long list of crimes for which the Goebels are entirely responsible. We condemn the falsification of the records of the house as anarchistic and a fraud, they being the only reliance for evidence, were a travesty on justice perpetrated under the deception or "forms of law."

We condemn the usurpation of the offices of the state from the chosen representatives of the people. The Goebel Democracy being responsible for all the crimes that have been perpetrated, as well as for all the odium that is now heaped on our state; we pledge ourselves to unite in relegateing it to that oblivion to which it so justly belongs and from which we hope it can never be resurrected.

3. We approve, and defy challenge, to the acts of the administration of affairs of the nation and state by the last Republican executives; no national administration ever had as many grave and serious questions to contend with as our present chief executive, and there are none who ever handled the affairs more creditably or with more success; no state administration was ever more ably conducted and with as much economy as the one under the leadership of Governor William O. Bradley, hence we feel no hesitancy in having a continuance of Republican rule.

4. We welcome to our ranks the thousands of fearless, conscientious, able Democrats and Populists who love their state and justice more than a degenerate party; we pledge to them our eternal gratitude and assure them a hearty welcome. The fight for civil liberty and personal liberty being a mutual one our united efforts are necessary for success, and success it must and will be.

5. We deplore and denounce assassinations, especially that of Senator Goebel, and we denounce with equal energy and earnestness all attempts to give the acts a political tint.

6. We instruct the delegates to be appointed to the state convention at Louisville on the 17th to cast their votes for governor for that gallant Republican, friend of the people, and exponent of civil liberty, the Hon. John W. Yerkes, of Danville, Ky.

Chairman Williamson then appointed a number of delegates, inviting all other liberty loving people who desire to attend.

The meeting then adjourned after voting thanks to the city officials for the use of the city hall.

Senator Gear Dead.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—United States Senator Gear, of Iowa, died here today of heart disease. He was apparently in excellent health and the summons was entirely unexpected.

Died of Consumption.

Mr. J. W. Dickerson, aged 34, died at Heath, Ky., last night, from consumption, leaving a wife and two children. The remains were buried at Bethel church cemetery.

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## THE WEEK IN BUSINESS

THE BANK CLEARINGS FOR THIS WEEK WERE \$521,154.10.

The Usual Summer Dullness is Felt in Most Lines—Coal and Iron Show Great Activity.

Business in banking circles was not as heavy this week as it has been for sometime, but is fully up to the average for this time of the year.

WHISKEY.

The wholesale trade is experiencing the usual mid-summer dullness at present but fall prospects are good.

The local dealers have a large southern trade and are hoping for a continuance of the present good times with the cotton growers. The cotton crop and prices affected this one branch of business as much as any of the general lines.

GROCERIES.

The wholesale grocery trade shows no appreciable change this week. Business is fully up to last years record with most of the local houses, with future prospects very encouraging. Collections are fair and every one pleased with existing conditions. The retail grocery business is, as usual, dull at present, but several of our leading grocers report a better business than they were doing at the same time last year.

VINEGAR.

The vinegar business of local dealers and manufacturers is splendid. Mr. O. L. Gregory, of Wallace & Gregory Bros, who own one of the largest vinegar establishments in the country, reports an increase of over 20 per cent. in his business over last year, with collections very fair. They travel about twenty men through out the western and southern states and every locality is sending in good demands for their product.

COTTON.

The cotton factory management report a good run for their plant. The market for the finished product, it is true, is off a good deal, yet prices on the raw material continues very stiff. The dullness on the finished product is traceable to the fact that a good number of New England concerns within the last fifteen months have put in branch plants in the southern towns, and every town with any enterprise at all has erected or helped to erect plants and the natural result has been an overproduction. Good authorities predict a continuation of the high prices on raw material with a great probability of its going still higher.

RETAIL TRADE.

The general retail trade is about on a par with last year, although some few houses report dullness. Some, however, report a nice increase. But on the whole there is no noticeable change.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.

The dry goods merchants are doing the usual volume of summer business. Trade in this line has experienced the general prevailing dullness, yet the merchants are not complaining.

HARDWARE.

The hardware trade is normal. Some of the local houses have been invoicing all month and preparing for the coming season. Retail trade with them has been fair.

GRAIN.

The Paducah Mill and Elevator company is now receiving good quantities of wheat daily. The price has reacted some in the past few days all over the country, and the same is true of the market here. The Paducah Mill and Elevator people are running full time and sales are satisfactory. Mr. Henry L. Bradley has just completed his elevator and is now splendidly equipped to handle the cereal.

Reciprocity Treaty.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—President McKinley has proclaimed a reciprocity treaty with Germany.

Science or Dreams.

From the Youth's Companion: According to the recent studies of Signor de Sanctis of Turin, children begin to dream before their fourth year, but are unable to recall dreams before the age of 4 or 5. This age, he concludes is that at which a child first becomes distinctly conscious of self. Aged people dream less frequently and less vividly than the young. Women's dreams are more frequent, more vivid and better remembered than those of men. Criminals and delinquents dream much less frequently and much less vividly than other people. Two-thirds of the most depraved criminals examined by Signor de Sanctis were never conscious of dreaming. This is ascribed to lack of mental activity.

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Paducah's Newest Industry.

The gentlemen who went to New Orleans to close the deal for the knitting mill to be removed to this city, will this afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the Citizens' Savings bank, make a report to their associates. There will be no delay in removing the mill to this city and at the earliest possible day. It will be a decided addition to the industries of the place. It will be another step in the direction of making Paducah a better cotton market and will likely soon bring to the place a cotton mill. The Six congratulates the gentlemen interested in this new enterprise and wishes them fullest realization of their hopes. They have already done much for the city's prosperity, being interested in many enterprises, and their latest effort will give employment to many more people, fully two hundred.

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## Rock's SUMMER Shoe Sale

Men, Women, Misses and Children's High and Low Cut Shoes. 15,000 Pair at Bottom Prices.

\$1.00 Oxfords, worth double and more, for women, in black, tan and ox blood; coin, razor, plain and square toe.

25c Baby Slippers, in tan and black, that sold for 50c.

50c Child's Slippers, in tan, black and ox blood, formerly sold for \$1 to \$1.25.

75c buys an elegant slipper for a miss, in black, tan, ox blood; worth double the money.

\$1.00 buys a miss' slipper, hand turned, finest finish, all colors.



\$2.00 pair of woman's button shoes, light and medium weight, for \$1.25 cut from \$1.50 and \$3.

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Strap slippers for women, in patent leather, kid, bow and buckle, from \$1 to \$2.

## Geo. Rock & Son.

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You have heard of the fall of the prophets and their doom. You have heard of False Profits and Righteous Profits. You have heard of ENORMOUS PROFITS (charged by others), and you have heard of the LIVE and LET LIVE PROFITS charged by us. We now want to unfold a tale wherein profits of no kind have a place—a profitless tale, as it were, to us, but a source of great profit to our patrons.

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Flannel suits, Light-weight Summer Clothing and Blacks and Blues Excepted.

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20 PER CENT 1-5 OFF ON ALL MEN'S AND BOYS' Tan Shoes

And All Low-Quarter Shoes, Either Black, Tan or Patent Leather.

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## "FIGHT TO THE KNIFE"

The war in China, the war in America, the war in Kentucky and the war in Paducah is raging and somebody is going to get hurt and hurt bad before this war business is over.

Some are fighting for LIBERTY, some are fighting for EXPANSION, some are fighting for MONEY, and some are fighting for "GLORY," but we are fighting for BUSINESS and business we are going to have if plunging the

## "KNIFE TO THE HILT"

Will get it. And here is the way we will open battle in Paducah for Business. Beginning Monday morning July 9 you can take any fancy worsted, Fancy or Plain Cassimer, Fancy or Plain Cheviat, or infact ANY SUIT IN THE STORE, except Blue and Black worsted, either in Boys or Mens at

25 Per Cent. Off For Cash.

A FEW OTHER SPECIALS

7/ 's Knee Pants, Linen	13c
Boy's Knee Pants, Cottonade	13c
Boy's Knee Pants, Bettergrade	19c
Men's Linen Caps	19c
Men's Duck Caps, A few left only	10c
Men's Linen Suits, Good Quality	1.98
Men's Linen Collars, All Styles	5c

Several styles of Mens Suits at 33 1-3 per cent. of for cash.

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FOR THE CURIOUS.

In Germany a clock has been made that is warranted to go for 9,000 years. The yellow silk spider of Ceylon is perhaps the largest of his species. His average weight is nine ounces.

The first mode of public punishment in New York city was the whipping post, set up in 1655. Upon this of, offenders were hoisted up by the waist, and suspended for such length of time as their offense called for.

A Smart Retort.

Talleyrand, the great French diplomatist, was entertaining one night. An officer arriving late, said that he had been detained by a penguin, the French soldier's nickname for a civilian. Talleyrand, affecting not to know, asked what a penguin was. "Oh," replied the officer, with a free-and-easy shoulder shrug, "we call everything a penguin that is not military." "Indeed," answered Talleyrand. Now, with us we call everything military that is not civil.

LITTLE SERMONS.

Heaven should be kind to stupid people, for no one else can be consistently—Balzac.

Politics, as a trade, finds most and leaves nearly all dishonest.—Abraham Lincoln.

Whatever can be known of the heart of man can be found in Shakespeare's plays.—Goethe.

Sun is best local paper.







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We will refund to him. Price 50 cts  
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**THE BAZAAR.**  
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**Slashing Sale On All Our Summer Dress Skirts.**  
These Skirts, some plain and some with colored bands, no skirt in this store than 75c, grand slashing August sale 50c.

**White Waists At A Fraction of Their Value.**  
250 fine White Waists, beautifully tucked and corded, none in the lot worth less than \$1.25, your choice for any lot for 50c.

**FINE SHOES AT HALF PRICE.**  
250 pairs Children's and Ladies' fine shoes reduced from \$2 to \$1 for our grand August sale.

**Closing Out Our Fine Hair Goods at Half Price.**  
\$2 fine Hair Band, goes in our grand August sale at \$1.  
\$4 and \$5 fine imported French Hair Bands go at \$1.50 and \$2.50.  
Remember a fine \$5 Symma Rug, 30x50, with coupons, FREE.

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**PEPSOL**  
The sparkling, delightful digestive agent, is sold exclusively at

**M'PHERSON'S**  
DRUG STORE  
Cor. Fourth and Broadway

**LOCAL LINES.**

Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m., at Fisher's Grove, the Socialists will hold meeting. "Corrupt Officials" will be the subject of discussion. There will be able speakers.

Mrs. Greer, mother of the three boys in jail at Benton for killing John Thomas, colored, died at her home in Marshall county Thursday.

Mrs. De Macheennes has removed to southwest corner Fifth and Jefferson streets. Phone 474. 1117.

Liberty and New Hope churches will hold all day services at Liberty church in the edge of Graves county, tomorrow. There will be a young peoples singing with preaching by Rev. J. R. Stewart in the morning and an old harmony singing in the afternoon.

Will Epstein, of Jefferson street, who had two of the toes on his right foot mashed off by an elevator at Friedman & Keiler's yesterday, is resting well, but will probably not be out for several days.

The remains of the infant child of A. D. Johnson, who lives on the Benton road, were buried today at Bethlehem, Marshall county.

Watchman Frank Dunn, of the government building, has tendered his resignation to take effect August 1. There are several applicants for the place.

Dr. S. B. Caldwell has decided to the Home of the Friendless, for \$300, the property adjoining that he donated the institution, on West Jefferson.

J. H. Quigley, president of the Fountain Park association, decided to Geo. C. Wallace, for \$2,000, the site known as Fountain park.

The ladies of the German Evangelical church will give an ice cream social next Wednesday night in the church yard on South Fifth street. Everybody is invited.

The thermometer was at this afternoon in the shade, with indications for fair and warmer weather tonight and tomorrow.

John Shannon, of near Mayfield, is reported to have died Thursday from a sunstroke. He was well known farmer of that section.

Go to Stutz's for the most delicious soda fountain beverages and hear the grand electric piano play.

SUN Job office is unexcused.

**CUTTING QUILL PENS.**  
It Was a Work of Skill That Everybody Could Not Do.

The art of cutting a quill by adopt "quill-drivers" was dying out when I first began schooling. Steel pens had been known for some time, but were not in general use. The goose quill pen died a hard death as a commonly used writing tool. My first school-master was a first-rate hand at cutting a quill, and he could use it with wonderful effects in flourishes. It was his boast that he could fill the first page of a lad's school book with name, age, date and flourishes—in which were depicted wonderful awns and other birds—in such a fashion that none but experts like himself could tell where the quill pen was taken from the paper for a fresh dip. My last master could neither cut a quill nor use one with advantage. Quills as pens remained in use in some houses as the only writing tool up to a dozen to twenty years ago. Those who can cut a decent writing quill are now few. People used to ask for "a quill pen," or "a quill," when they wanted a pen, and both steel and quill were always called "pens," buyers asking for fine or other "nibs" or "nabs." Nowadays nearly all ask for "nibs" when they require pens. The word "pen" has almost dropped out of usage, except to express the pen and holder combined. Persons invariably ask for a box of "nibs," appearing to lose sight of the fact that "nib" or "nab" is a point, and that the points of pens alone are not to be had. One would think that in these days of much schooling teachers would define "pen" from "point" or "nab," but they, too, ask for "nibs" when they mean "pens." Children only know a pen as a holder and pen combined. They ask for "nibs" or "pen nibs," and when asked if they do not mean "pens" the reply is "Not nibs!"—Notes and Queries.

**STORMING OF BADAJOS.**  
The Triumphant English Soldiers Became Drunken Wretches.

The first of the French was frightfully accurate and concentrated, says New Lippincott. Gen. Walker himself simply dripped blood; he was a mass of wounds. His ladders were found to be all too short. The walls of the fortress were 30 feet in height. However, through some lack of staying power in the French, success at last crowned the attack. One man clambered somehow to the top of the wall and pulled up others, until about half of the Fourth Foot (now the King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment) were fairly into the town. Walker's men took no quarter. Gen. Pleton, severely wounded, had not dared to risk losing the castle but now hearing the tumult of Walker's success, he sent his men forth and thousands went swarming through the town. Phillipson said that all was lost, and retreated with a few hundred men to San Cristobal. He surrendered next morning to Lord Fitzroy Somerset. The English now occupied the town. With their comrades lying stark, or perhaps in fearful torment, in the fields beyond the wall of Badajoz, these soldiers, who had so heroically won this immortal victory, became the most abandoned drunken wretches and maniacs. Crazy privates stood at the corners of streets and shot every one in sight. Everywhere were soldiers dressed in the garb of monks, gentlemen at court, or mayhap wound about with gorgeous ribbons and laces. Jewels and plate, silks and satins, all suffered a wanton destruction. Napier writes of "shameless rapacity, brutal intemperance, savage lust, cruelty and murder, shrieks and piteous lamentations."

**Funny Story About Bull Run.**  
"The Congressionalists" says that on the eve of the battle of Bull Run a number of senators and representatives went down from Washington to see the confederates run. And when the confederates began to run after the battle, the Union army, the volunteers, congressmen ran in advance for the capital. One of them, arrayed in a linen coat, corpulent and perspiring, glancing backward saw a zouave coming and mistook him for a confederate. Suddenly he tripped on a root and fell headlong. The zouave fell on top of him. Unable to look around but believing himself in the hands of the enemy, he shouted, "My God! can't this thing be compromised somehow?"

Evening Sun only 10 cents a week.

**SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS IN THE DRY GOODS STORES.**

Eley Dry Goods Co., of 322 and 324 Broadway, say they will begin a clearing sale next Monday. Special cut prices will be made in every department. This is the only dry goods store that never carries goods from one season to another and the only way to close out the stock is to cut the prices before the season is past. They will make the reductions next week that will move the goods. If you want the pick of the stock, come early. Sale begins Monday morning. They quote a few of the special prices.

5c lawn reduced to 3 1/2c.  
7 1/2c lawn reduced to 5c.  
8 1/2c lawn reduced to 6 1/2c.  
10c lawn reduced to 7 1/2c.  
12 1/2c lawn reduced to 10c.  
15c muslin reduced to 10c.  
35c imported Marseilles reduced to 20c.  
25c imported French gingham reduced to 15c.  
20c imported foulards reduced to 12 1/2c.  
50c imported chilies reduced to 25c.  
Large stock of ladies' percale wrappers and shirt waists reduced to 25c.

**ABOUT PEOPLE.**

Mr. George J. Lavery, of St. Louis, the popular representative of Friedman & Keiler, is improving at St. Louis from an attack of paralysis received several days ago.

Mr. Emmet J. Burnett and wife, of Ballard county, were in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hill, of Sharpe, are visiting relatives in the city.

Miss Rollie Kruger is visiting relatives in Edlyville.

Miss Dot Brower will return Monday from Mayfield.

Mrs. J. Israel, of New York, is visiting her uncle Mr. Jacob Marks, at Ninth and Jackson streets.

The family of Mr. Jerry Redmond, who have been residing in Vicksburg, arrived yesterday to remain in Paducah.

Colonel John VanCulin left at noon today for St. Louis, in the interest of his unequalled gun. He will convince the people of St. Louis while away that his is the greatest gun on the market.

Misses May Davis and Ida Leake went to Creal Springs today to spend several days.

Mrs. D. J. Foster has returned from Mayfield.

Mr. John Byng leaves Monday for Dawson to spend his vacation.

Robert and Miss Fannie Wallace, and Henry and Miss Belle Cave returned yesterday from a visit to the family of Hon. C. J. Bronston, at Lexington. They were accompanied home by the son and daughter of Mr. Bronston.

Mr. Charles Gartner, of Buffalo, N. Y., is here on a visit to his brother, Sowerage Inspector George Gartner and will probably locate here.

City Attorney R. T. Lightfoot is expected from New York tomorrow.

Rev. C. L. Dickey returned this morning from a visit to Tennessee.

Second Vice President J. T. Harnahan, of the Illinois Central, will arrive this evening at 6 o'clock from Chicago en route south. Superintendent W. J. Harnahan will probably come down with him from Princeton.

Mrs. Warren Thornberry and sister, Miss Annie Bradshaw, left today for Hopkinsville on a visit.

Mrs. Harry Hinkle and daughter left this morning for Hardin county on a visit.

**While on Your Vacation**

You should keep posted on the happenings at home. Have the SUN mailed you each day. Address can be changed as often as desired.

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**THE EVENING SUN**

The Sun was favored with a call today from two esteemed friends, Colonel J. C. Noble, of the city, and Dr. S. T. Payne, Sr., formerly also a Paducahan but now a resident of Ballard county. These gentlemen are probably two of the most active men of their age in the section, Colonel Noble having been born in December, 1815, and Dr. Payne in March, 1816. They were out visiting friends and found hearty greetings wherever they went.

Messrs. F. L. Scott, R. B. Phillips and T. C. Toof returned at 11:45 this morning from New Orleans, where they went to inspect the knitting concern that is to locate here.

Mr. A. A. Troutman, of Wyndham, Texas, is here on a visit to his cousin, Dr. J. T. Troutman.

**BUMPS OR BRUISES.**  
Sprains or sores, burns or scalds, wounds or cuts, tetters or eczema, all quickly cured by BANNER SALVE, the most healing medicine in the world.  
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**Fennyson and His Pipes.**  
During the past season much has been written about Li Hung Chang's method of smoking. The peculiarity in this habit of one nearer and dearer to us—Fennyson—is decidedly unique. A writer says of the great poet: "The common clay pipe was his choice. His den was at the top of the house. When he sat down to work in the morning a huge tobacco-jar, big enough for an ancestral urn, was at his feet, together with a box full of white clay pipes. Filling one of these, he smoked until it was empty, broke it in twain and threw the fragments into another box prepared for their reception. Then he pulled out a fresh pipe, filled it, smoked it and destroyed it as before. He would not smoke a pipe the second time."

**DON'TS FOR THE NURSERY.**  
Don't put baby to sleep in the same room that he occupies all day.  
Don't neglect to rub his scalp with sweet oil if there is any scurf.  
Don't give him farinaceous food until the teeth start, or the salivary glands begin to act.  
Don't over-salt or over-sweeten his food—salt and sugar create thirst and thirst fretfulness.  
Don't use silk-lined or cotton-wadded quilts on his bed; light, soft all-wool blankets are best.  
Don't always carry him on the same side, but move him from one arm to the other, if he must be carried.

**JOTTINGS FROM SCIENCE.**  
All the flowers of the arctic region are said to be either white or yellow, and there are 762 varieties.  
There are three times as many muscles in the tail of the cat as there are in the human hands and wrists.  
**Red Attracts Death.**  
The number of soldiers slain in battle depends a great deal on the color of their uniform. The more flashy and conspicuous the helmet and jacket the better the target, and consequently the greater the mortality.

**THE RIVER NEWS.**

Cairo 15.8, fall.  
Chattanooga 3.3, fall.  
Cincinnati 7.9, rise.  
Evansville 6.1, rise.  
Florence 3.0, fall.  
Johannsville 5.3, fall.  
Louisville 4.2, fall.  
Mt. Carmel 4.3, fall.  
Nashville 4.8, fall.  
Paducah 8.2, fall.  
Pittsburg 6.4, fall.  
St. Louis 10.2, fall.

Observation taken at 7 a. m. River 8.1 feet on the gauge, a fall of 0.7 in the last 24 hours. Wind, S. East; a light breeze. Weather: clear and hot. Temperature 79. Pell, Observer.

George Sneed the negro fireman on the Peter Hontz, who was badly injured when the boat collapsed her funnel in the Marine Hospital at Cairo last Thursday. Julia Grandison, the chambermaid, who also was badly injured, is not expected to recover, as her life has been despaired of by her physician.

The towboat Al Martin will leave today for Cincinnati with a tow of staves for the Cincinnati Cooperage Co., at Cincinnati.

The Charles Beecher leaves for the lower Mississippi this evening to load lumber for the Joy Lumber Co., at St. Louis.

The towboat Wm. Towle made a trial trip this morning, her machinery working like a charm. She will commence business next Monday. She is owned by Captain James Jacobs.

There are 15,000,000 bushels of coal loaded and ready to leave Pittsburgh when the river reaches an eight foot stage there. It may not occur until the fall rise.

Business was very good down on the wharf today.

The Lydia arrived from Cairo this morning and will likely leave for Tennessee river this evening.

Captain Jim Howard will take command of the Joe Fowler next Monday morning, leaving here for Evansville at 10 a. m.

The H. W. Battorff is due tomorrow evening from Nashville.

The John S. Hopkins from Evansville arrived and departed on return trip this morning. She had good business in and out.

The Tennessee leaves for Tennessee river at 5 p. m. today. She has a big trip both in freight and people.

We are walking right into hot weather and the rivers are falling. Sand bars will be more than numerous before the close of July and the big boats will all have to make room for the little one which is applicable to the old adage that every "dog has his day."

The City of Golconda cleared for Golconda and E'town at 12:30 today with nice business.

Captain Jim Jacobs will have his boat ready for service next week.

The City of Memphis arrived from Tennessee river at 6 o'clock last evening on her way to St. Louis. She was full of excursionists and had a big freight trip. She departed at 8 p. m.

The City of Paducah leaves St. Louis this afternoon at 5 o'clock for Tennessee river.

The John K. Speed is due to morning evening from Memphis on her route to Cincinnati. There are several ladies and gentlemen of the city who will make the round trip on her.

Mayor Lang and party leave Cincinnati this evening for home. They will arrive on the Buckeye State next Tuesday evening.

The Dick Fowler, the "Cannon Ball" of the Ohio river, pulled out for Cairo on time this morning. She went down the river like a lightning express train. She had the last trip of the week.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.  
Lucas County.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for treatise, free.  
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**After a Separation of Forty-Two Years.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jared Amesen of Seneca, Mich., disagreed over some family matters forty-two years ago, and a decree of divorce was granted the wife. The former husband and wife then went their several ways and entirely lost track of each other. After that the husband married three times and a few days ago secured a divorce from his third wife. His first wife married three times after her first divorce. A few days ago she secured a divorce from her fourth husband. Amesen, her first husband, was at the Court House when the decree was entered, and he introduced himself to her. They sat down and talked matters over and, as a result, a marriage license and wedding speedily followed, and after a separation of forty-two years both are living together again as husband and wife.

**IN THE CHURCHES.**

Divine services at the Evangelical Lutheran church, South Fourth street, tomorrow. German preaching in the morning at 10:15 o'clock. English preaching in the evening at 7:45 o'clock. Sunday school at 9 a. m. G. Urnath, Superintendent. All are cordially invited to attend these services. J. H. Hartenberger, Pastor.

At the First Christian church, southeast corner of Seventh and Jefferson, Rev. Mr. Pinkerton will preach at 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. tomorrow. As these will probably be the last preaching services in this church until September a full attendance is very much desired. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.

The usual services will be held at the German Evangelical church tomorrow. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German preaching at 10:30 a. m. English at night at 7:45. B. F. Wulfman, Pastor.

At Tenth street Christian church tomorrow Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Communion at 10:45 and preaching by the pastor, I. H. Teel, at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 p. m. All members of the church urged to attend.

Tomorrow at the Broadway Methodist church Rev. G. W. Briggs, Pastor, service will be held at 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "Jesus." Evening subject, "Goodnight." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth league on Monday night with special patriotic service led by the pastor.

At the Cumberland Presbyterian church, corner Sixth and Court streets, C. L. Dickey, Pastor, preaching tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Junior Endeavor at 4 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Everybody cordially invited.

Service tomorrow in Grace church, Broadway and Ninth. Rev. B. E. Reed, Rector, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject of morning sermon Finding One's Mission. Offering, Not Ashamed of Christ, by Dank. Miss F. Langstaff. Offering at evening service, Just for Today, by Jane B. Abbott. Miss Alma C. Hays. Sunday school 9 a. m. All welcome.

There will be Sunday school at the Broadfoot hall tomorrow at 3 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited.

Enjoy a glass of Stutz's delicious pine apple sherbet and listen to the grand electric piano.

**CURED BRONCHIAL TROUBLE.**  
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Trimble street frame store, \$850.  
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Fine 40-foot warehouse site, Sec 2nd street to railroad, \$1,200.  
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**Bathing in Caracas.**  
Bathing in Caracas, Venezuela, is generally done in the open air—that is, the bath room in the house is almost an unknown luxury. In the first place, the bath room indoors would be too close for comfort, and in the second place the plumber's art is not practiced to any extent. In every court, and almost all the houses in Venezuela are provided with them—there is the inevitable fountain, whence is derived the water supply of the house. Attached to the fountain is a large, deep bowl, generally about four feet deep and as many broad. Into this the water runs continuously, and, by stopping up the escape in the bottom, you can quickly provide a full bowl of clean, sparkling, but not cold water. Into this you plunge, with no other covering than the sky, and enjoy yourself to the full, caring nothing for the world or the neighbor who is watching you from the roof of the adjoining house, where he is smoking away the mosquitoes and other insects of the tropics.

**Coal in Pennsylvania.**  
The coal fields in Pennsylvania are nearly all taken up. Coal land in the Connelville district is selling for about \$1,000 an acre. The iron, steel and coal men are turning to the West Virginia fields.

**The Boer's Religion.**  
Boer child—Father, if I were carrying the Bible in one hand and a gun in the other and an enemy approached, which should I drop first? Boer father—The enemy, my son!

**BECKHAMITES WIN.**  
The Vote of this County is Secured for the Young Usurper.

In the Democratic precinct meetings in Paducah all the precincts but the Plow Factory instructed for Beckhams, the one exception being for Lewis, and this will insure him the county vote. There was very little interest taken in the meetings and the attendance at the county court house precincts, the largest in the county, was hardly one hundred. The work on hand was quickly and tamely done. The Beckhamites were happy.

**THE LIST OF WOUNDED.**  
who have been healed by BANNER SALVE, is very large. It heals all wounds or sores and leaves no scar.  
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**Charged With Stealing.**  
Charley Finney, of near Sedalia, was arrested Monday afternoon, charged with stealing seventy-five dollars and a jug of whiskey from the hackster wagon of Jesse Bailey, near Farmington, says the Mayfield Mirror. Finney was unable to give bond and was brought to the city Monday night and locked up to await his examining trial, which is announced to take place at Sedalia today. The alleged theft was committed Sunday night. The money and whiskey were locked up with some other goods in the wagon and some one broke into it.

**TO ASTHMA SUFFERERS.**  
Lawson Elvidge, of Harrington, Ill., says he was cured of chronic asthma of long standing by FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR. It gives positive relief in all cases of asthma, so this disease, when not completely cured, is robbed of all its terrors by this great remedy. Take no substitute.  
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**Setter Rearing Lion Cubs.**  
A very interesting sight is to be seen in the Dublin (Ireland) zoological gardens, Phoenix park, just now, viz. an Irish red setter, rearing three fine lion cubs. These youngsters were born on the 12th of October last, and are now over nine weeks old. Their mother is a forest born lioness, and she would take no notice of her progeny, so they had to be taken from her an hour or two after birth and fed from an ordinary baby's feeding bottle for a couple of days till the setter was reacquainted. She was not at all anxious to adopt the novel fosterlings, and it was only by sprinkling the foster-mother's milk over the cubs that she was induced to take to them. Then a couple of pups that were left with her were removed, and the poor setter took to the ungainly cubs as affectionately as if they were her own.

**"John" Hangs Back.**  
Christian "John"—Why don't you come to our Sunday school, John?  
"John" Wh. Lee—"Me faldice Clattan hoodlums smashes head."—New York Weekly.

**FOR RENT—A 5-room cottage** on Jefferson between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. Apply at 1123 Jefferson. 3t

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Ladies' vests 10c, 3 for 25c.  
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Summer corsets 50c each.  
Ladies' shirt waists 35c.  
Mosquito bars, ready made, 90c, \$1.25 ad \$1.65.  
Wash rags, 2 for 5c.  
Palm soap 5c.  
Pearls soap 10c.  
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